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## PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated November 18, 2003, be extended for three months to and including May 18, 2004.

Enclosed is a check for \$950 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 12669-003US1.

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